## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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## **NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING**

## **DOCKET NO. 2013-15-C**

Docket Summary: Application of Nexus Communications, Inc. for Designation as a Wireless Eligible Telecommunications Carrier for Low Income Support Only

Nexus Communications, Inc. ("Nexus") has filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") an Application for designation as a wireless eligible telecommunications carrier ("ETC") in the State of South Carolina, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §214(e)(6) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, Section 54.201 of the Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC") rules, and S.C. Code Ann. Regs. §\$103-690 and 103-690.1. Nexus seeks ETC designation exclusively for the purpose of receiving federal Lifeline universal service support throughout the non-rural areas of South Carolina. Nexus has been a *wireline* Low Income ETC in South Carolina since June 2009 (Order No. 2009-316, Docket No. 2008-275-C (June 10, 2009).

A copy of the Company's application can be found on the Commission's website at <a href="www.psc.sc.gov">www.psc.sc.gov</a> under Docket No. 2013-15-C. Additionally, a copy of the application is available from the Company's representative John J. Pringle, Jr., Esquire, Ellis, Lawhorne & Sims, P.A., Post Office Box 2285, Columbia, South Carolina 29202.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled to begin on **Thursday**, **April 11**, **2013**, **at 10:30 a.m.**, before the Commission in the Commission's Hearing Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter as a party of record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **Tuesday, February 12, 2013**, and indicate the amount of time required to address the Commission. For the receipt of future Commission correspondence, please include an email address in the Petition to Intervene. *Please refer to Docket No. 2013-15-C*.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify, in writing, the Commission; the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201; and the Company's representative at the above address, on or before **Tuesday**, **February 12**, **2013**, and indicate the amount of time required to address the Commission. *Please refer to Docket No. 2013-15-C*.

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Commission, in writing, at the address below on or before **Tuesday**, **February 12, 2013**. *Please refer to Docket No. 2013-15-C*.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding <u>MUST</u> present such comments in person to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100 or visit its website at www.psc.sc.gov.

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